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SASKATCHEWAN POPULATION

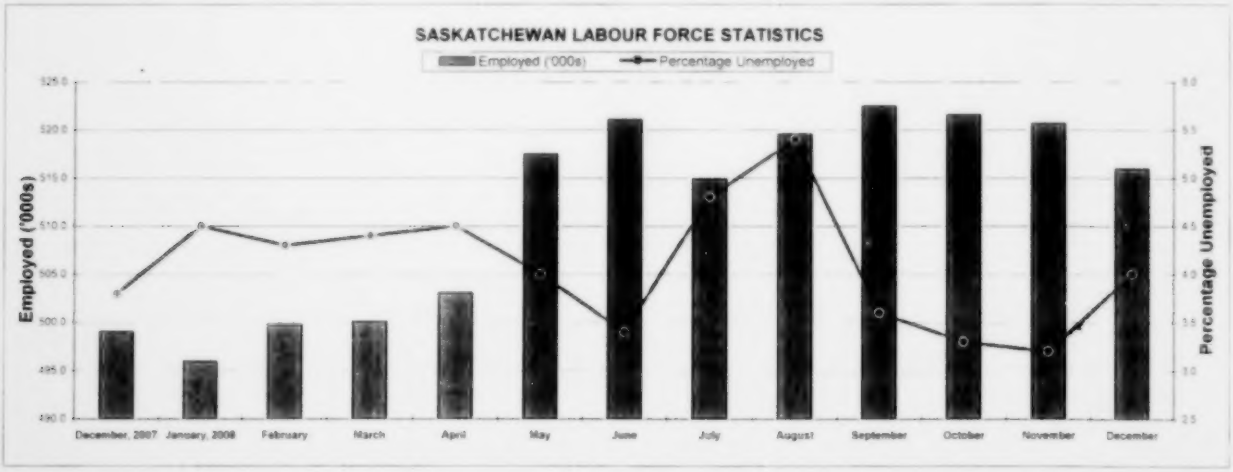
	January 1	April 1	July 1	October 1
		('000s)		
1998	1,017.5	1,017.1	1,017.3	1,017.7
1999	1,016.9	1,015.7	1,014.5	1,012.6
2000	1,011.1	1,009.2	1,007.6	1,006.0
2001	1,003.5	1,001.6	1,000.2	999.3
2002	998.8	997.8	996.8	996.4
2003	996.3	995.8	996.5	996.7
2004	996.8	997.3	997.4	997.2
2005	996.0	995.0	993.6	993.4
2006	992.3	991.3	992.1	992.6
2007	994.0	995.8	999.7	1,005.8
2008	1,008.7	1,012.0	1,016.0	1,020.8

POPULATION COMPONENTS OF CHANGE

	3rd Quarter			January - September		
	2008	2007	Change (%)	2008	2007	Change (%)
Interprovincial Migration						
In-migration	8,078	10,264	-21.3	21,847	20,026	9.1
Out-migration	6,014	6,525	-7.8	17,237	14,169	21.7
Net-migration	2,064	3,739	-44.8	4,610	5,857	-21.3
International Migration						
Immigration	1,203	1,115	7.9	3,530	2,662	32.6
Emmigration	203	201	1.0	424	400	6.0
Returning Canadians	79	79	-	167	160	4.4
Net Non Perm. Res.	631	367	71.9	1,509	920	64.0
Temporarily Abroad	84	84	-	205	204	0.5
Net-migration	1,626	1,276	27.4	4,577	3,138	45.9
Total Net Migration	3,690	5,015	-26.4	9,187	8,995	2.1
Vital Statistics						
Births	3,350	3,270	2.4	9,835	9,579	2.7
Deaths	2,178	2,142	1.7	6,854	6,720	2.0
Natural Increase	1,172	1,128	3.9	2,981	2,859	4.3
Population Change	4,862	6,143	-20.9	12,168	11,854	2.6
Marriages	2,511	2,570	-2.3	4,244	4,259	-0.4

LABOUR FORCE AND RELATED DATA

	Labour Force ('000s)	Employed ('000s)			Unemployed ('000s)	Unemployment Rate (%)	Participation Rate (%)
		Total	Full-Time	Part-time			
December, 2007	518.8	499.1	403.7	95.5	19.7	3.8	68.4
January, 2008	519.3	496.0	399.4	96.6	23.3	4.5	68.3
February	522.4	499.8	401.0	98.8	22.6	4.3	68.7
March	523.0	500.1	403.8	96.2	22.9	4.4	68.6
April	526.7	503.1	410.4	92.8	23.6	4.5	69.0
May	538.7	517.5	425.3	92.1	21.3	4.0	70.4
June	539.5	521.1	432.6	88.5	18.4	3.4	70.4
July	540.7	514.9	441.6	73.3	25.8	4.8	70.4
August	549.4	519.6	443.7	75.9	29.8	5.4	71.4
September	542.1	522.5	430.4	92.1	19.6	3.6	70.3
October	539.2	521.6	425.4	96.2	17.6	3.3	69.8
November	538.1	520.7	422.4	98.4	17.4	3.2	69.6
December	537.4	516.0	416.7	99.3	21.4	4.0	69.4



LABOUR FORCE STATISTICS BY AGE AND SEX

	Labour Force ('000s)	Employed ('000s)			Unemployed ('000s)	Unemployment Rate (%)	Participation Rate (%)
		Total	Full-Time	Part-time			
December, 2008							
Total	537.4	516.0	416.7	99.3	21.4	4.0	69.4
Male	285.2	273.1	239.0	34.1	12.2	4.3	74.7
Female	252.1	242.9	177.7	65.2	9.2	3.6	64.2
15-24 Years of Age	97.1	90.0	53.2	36.8	7.2	7.4	69.5
25+ Years of Age	440.2	426.0	363.5	62.5	14.2	3.2	69.4
November, 2008							
Total	538.1	520.7	422.4	98.4	17.4	3.2	69.6
Male	287.2	277.6	244.4	33.2	9.6	3.3	75.4
Female	250.9	243.1	178.0	65.1	7.8	3.1	64.0
15-24 Years of Age	97.4	91.0	51.6	39.3	6.4	6.6	69.7
25+ Years of Age	440.7	429.8	370.7	59.0	11.0	2.5	69.6
December, 2007							
Total	518.8	499.1	403.7	95.5	19.7	3.8	68.4
Male	280.4	268.4	235.2	33.2	12.0	4.3	75.0
Female	238.4	230.7	168.4	62.3	7.7	3.2	62.1
15-24 Years of Age	93.8	86.9	50.1	36.8	6.9	7.4	67.7
25+ Years of Age	425.1	412.3	353.6	58.6	12.8	3.0	68.6

EMPLOYED PERSONS BY ACTUAL HOURS WORKED

	December 2008			November 2008			November 2007		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
Total ('000s)	516.0	273.1	242.9	520.7	277.6	243.1	499.1	268.4	230.7
1-14 hours	43.8	16.3	27.5	49.6	17.2	32.4	38.5	14.9	23.6
15-29 hours	72.2	27.4	44.7	118.2	49.2	69.0	77.1	31.7	45.5
30 plus hours	361.5	210.4	151.1	318.6	196.5	122.1	356.2	210.9	145.0
Not at work	38.5	18.9	19.6	34.3	14.7	19.6	27.3	10.8	16.5

EMPLOYED PERSONS BY CLASS OF WORKER

	December 2008			November 2008			November 2007		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
Total ('000s)	516.0	273.1	242.9	520.7	277.6	243.1	499.1	268.4	230.7
Employees	421.1	206.6	214.5	423.3	209.2	214.1	407.2	204.6	202.6
Public Sector	130.4	46.3	84.1	134.0	47.3	86.7	126.3	48.6	77.6
Private Sector	290.6	160.2	130.4	289.3	161.9	127.4	280.9	155.9	125.0
Self-Employed	94.9	66.5	28.4	97.4	68.4	29.0	92.0	63.8	28.1

EMPLOYED LABOUR FORCE BY INDUSTRY

	December 2008	2007	2006
Agriculture	36.8	38.4	44.8
Forestry, Fishing, Mining and Oil and Gas	25.1	22.8	22.6
Utilities	6.2	5.1	4.0
Construction	39.9	31.0	29.8
Manufacturing	30.3	29.9	27.9
Trade	83.9	84.2	86.6
Transportation and Warehousing	23.3	25.0	24.8
Finance, Insurance, Real Estate and Leasing	29.1	27.5	26.8
Professional, Scientific and Technical Services	20.5	21.3	19.9
Business, Building and Other Support Activities	11.8	10.1	10.7
Educational Services	40.3	40.6	40.5
Health Care and Social Assistance	63.0	61.9	61.1
Information, Culture and Recreation	20.2	20.2	19.3
Accommodation and Food Services	32.3	30.9	30.7
Other Services	24.1	21.9	21.7
Public Administration	29.2	28.2	25.9
Total ('000s)	516.0	499.1	497.3

Note: Pertains to the week ending December 13, 2008

EMPLOYMENT INSURANCE STATISTICS

October, 2008	Regular	Sickness	Maternity	Parental	Training	Other	Oct/08	Sep/08	Oct/07
Total Beneficiaries	10,580	1,220	2,030	4,360	100	170	18,460	18,090	13,970
Male	3,770	480	-	280	60	90	4,680	4,640	4,990
Female	6,820	750	2,030	4,080	40	60	13,780	13,450	8,980
Benefits paid during month ($ '000)	9,533	1,459	2,703	5,779	-	168	28,111	23,893	17,699
Number of weeks paid during month	28,030	4,780	8,110	17,390	-	620	58,930	72,400	56,650
Average weekly payments during month * ($)	340.09	305.12	333.15	332.26	-	-	333.75	330.02	312.44

* May exceed maximum weekly benefit due to the inclusion of retroactive payments

SASKATCHEWAN EMPLOYMENT EARNINGS AND HOURS

	All Employees				Salaried Employees			
	Number of Employees ('000s)		Avg. Weekly Earnings* ($)		Avg. Standard Work Week** (hours)		Avg. Hourly Earnings* ($)	
	Oct 2008	Sept 2008	Oct 2008	Sept 2008	Oct 2008	Sept 2008	Oct 2008	Sept 2008
Goods producing industries	76.2	77.8	1,066.85	1,040.75	39.9	40.4	34.13	32.48
Forestry	0.5	0.5	814.59	819.51	41.8	41.0	25.38	27.04
Mining and oil and gas extraction	16.4	16.5	1,386.51	1,350.39	44.5	44.5	38.38	36.89
Construction	27.6	27.4	1,031.76	1,010.13	36.9	37.6	30.19	26.52
Utility system construction	2.3	2.4	1,337.99	1,335.15	43.2	44.3	33.21	31.19
Highway, street and bridge construction	4.3	4.4	1,204.54	1,140.31	39.5	40.3	36.70	27.59
Manufacturing	27.1	28.8	888.15	863.29	38.0	38.7	31.63	30.50
Non-durable goods	9.8	10.0	824.26	776.22	38.5	38.6	35.18	33.44
Food	5.3	5.4	713.52	868.52	36.6	36.5	35.99	34.79
Printing & related support activities	0.8	0.9	775.47	721.37	38.4	40.1	21.47	22.31
Durable goods	17.3	18.7	924.46	910.03	37.7	38.8	29.35	28.85
Machinery	5.4	5.4	964.89	931.83	36.2	38.1	30.85	29.42
Agriculture, construction and mining machinery	3.8	3.8	969.19	930.46	36.2	38.1	31.22	29.62
Service producing industries	363.3	359.7	704.27	706.95	36.9	37.0	26.29	25.86
Trade	82.1	81.7	571.16	590.50	39.5	39.7	23.90	24.72
Wholesale trade	19.0	18.9	918.35	945.07	39.9	40.6	28.04	28.78
Retail trade	63.1	62.8	466.72	483.99	39.2	39.1	20.86	21.75
Automobile dealers	5.3	5.3	933.96	1,005.12	38.3	37.0	31.35	34.37
Gasoline service stations	5.5	5.6	410.36	414.68	33.9	34.9	18.48	18.56
Transportation & warehousing	20.9	20.5	799.27	802.32	34.4	35.1	25.41	24.16
Finance and insurance	21.0	21.2	837.26	844.46	36.8	36.9	24.63	24.63
Real estate, rental & leasing	6.2	6.1	731.62	750.25	35.5	36.4	21.76	24.38
Administrative, support, waste management & remediation service	11.5	11.9	555.35	559.56	36.6	35.9	23.28	22.76
Educational services	43.7	39.8	917.50	914.73	36.1	36.6	27.86	26.24
Elementary & secondary schools	28.8	25.6	915.22	914.12	44.0	43.4	28.92	26.57
Health care & social assistance	58.0	58.6	743.74	744.71	34.0	33.6	29.08	30.14
General medical & surgical hospitals	17.1	17.5	797.39	756.14	24.0	24.2	39.33	39.45
Nursing & residential care facilities	17.2	17.4	719.69	734.48	35.2	33.6	31.07	34.58
Accommodation & food services	32.1	32.4	336.89	343.09	37.1	36.2	19.70	17.98
Food services & drinking places	24.6	24.7	311.62	315.25	37.5	36.2	17.20	15.82
Public Administration	33.7	33.8	869.59	874.37	37.9	37.1	28.38	27.76
Industrial Aggregate	439.5	437.5	767.12	766.29	37.3	37.4	27.35	26.81

* including overtime
** excluding overtime

Industrial Aggregate = sum of all industries - with the exception of agriculture, fishing and trapping, private household services, religious organizations and military services

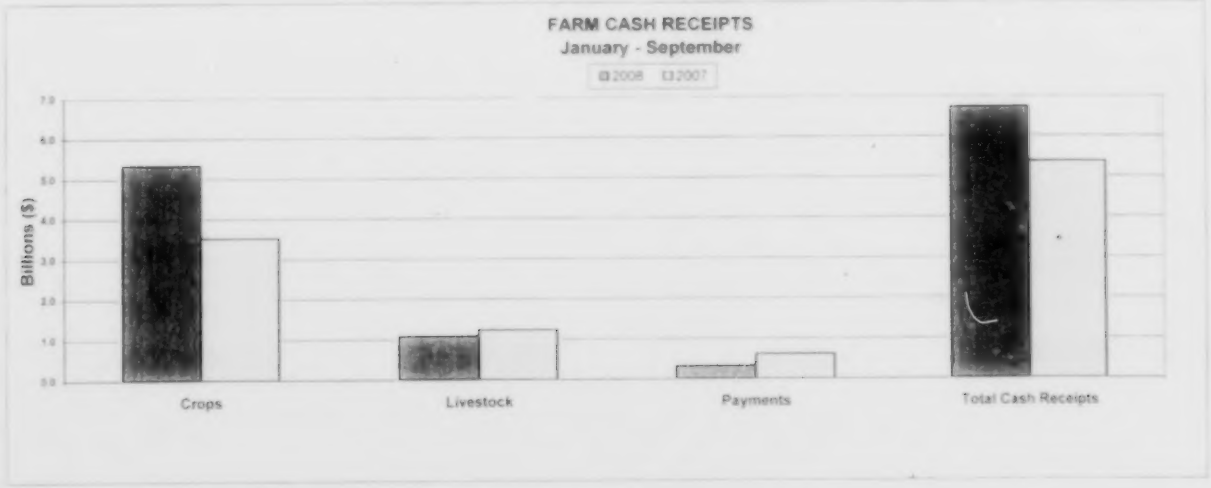
Note: Data based on the 2007 NAICS

SASKATCHEWAN FARM CASH RECEIPTS FROM FARMING OPERATIONS

	January - September		
	2008	2007	Change
	($ '000)		(%)
Wheat, excluding durum	924,612	649,911	42.3
Wheat, excluding durum - CWB payments[1]	321,716	246,841	30.3
Durum	490,902	295,068	66.4
Durum - CWB payments[1]	372,224	147,966	---
Oats	239,614	123,480	94.1
Barley	256,967	151,240	69.9
Barley - CWB payments[1]	24,353	33,535	-27.4
Deferred grain receipts	-469,676	-205,375	---
Liquidation of deferred grain receipts	505,415	284,429	77.7
Rye	6,626	6,566	0.9
Flaxseed	168,953	99,706	69.5
Canola - Rapeseed	1,506,278	1,036,777	45.3
Potatoes	27,128	27,604	-1.7
Other crops	961,275	630,267	52.5
Total crops	**5,336,387**	**3,528,015**	**51.3**
Cattle	580,971	655,768	-11.4
Calves	44,936	116,414	-61.4
Hogs	196,773	215,043	-8.5
Sheep and lambs	5,183	5,828	-11.1
Dairy Products	116,410	108,622	7.2
Poultry	68,363	59,183	15.5
Eggs	13,271	13,362	-0.7
Other livestock	53,054	58,465	-9.3
Total livestock and products	**1,078,961**	**1,232,685**	**-12.5**
NISA Payments	83,972	94,610	-11.2
Crop and hail insurance payments[2]	41,781	58,430	-28.5
Other payments	191,856	466,430	-58.9
Total direct payments	**317,609**	**619,470**	**-48.7**
Total cash receipts	**6,732,957**	**5,380,170**	**25.1**

[1] Represents payments made by the Canadian Wheat Board direct to producers.

[2] Crop insurance payments include payments under the Crop Insurance Act as well as private hail insurance plans.



SASKATCHEWAN LIVESTOCK MARKETINGS

	October			January - October		
	2008	2007	Change (%)	2008	2007	Change (%)
Feeder Cattle Exports						
Steers	93,050	90,580	2.7	432,370	426,520	1.4
Heifers	61,430	60,240	2.0	390,680	361,800	8.0
Cows	1,220	950	28.4	12,270	4,800	---
Bulls	320	90	---	1,840	590	---
Total Feeder Cattle Exports	156,020	151,860	2.7	837,160	793,710	5.5
Feeder Cattle to Saskatchewan						
Steers	35,900	47,490	-24.4	141,520	167,250	-15.4
Heifers	23,340	31,760	-26.5	120,890	141,900	-14.8
Cows	1,680	630	---	7,450	6,540	13.9
Bulls	80	110	-27.3	1,640	1,210	35.5
Total Feeder Cattle to Saskatchewan	61,000	79,990	-23.7	271,500	316,900	-14.3
Total Feeder Cattle Marketed	217,020	231,850	-6.4	1,108,660	1,110,610	-0.2
Slaughter Cattle Exports						
Steers	5,750	10,500	-45.2	71,590	76,950	-7.0
Heifers	3,090	4,360	-29.1	34,700	36,460	-4.8
Cows	9,370	4,370	---	76,860	46,100	66.7
Bulls	2,030	110	---	16,670	1,440	---
Calves	-	60	---	480	190	---
Total Slaughter Cattle Exports	20,240	19,400	4.3	200,300	161,140	24.3
Slaughter Cattle to Saskatchewan						
Steers	2,630	4,840	-45.7	38,670	42,670	-9.4
Heifers	910	2,070	-56.0	13,230	25,240	-47.6
Cows	16,250	11,850	37.1	133,500	109,170	22.3
Bulls	1,460	2,220	-34.2	14,080	20,740	-32.1
Calves	10	80	-87.5	170	230	-26.1
Total Slaughter Cattle to Saskatchewan	21,260	21,060	0.9	199,650	198,050	0.8
Total Slaughter Cattle Marketed	41,500	40,460	2.6	399,950	359,190	11.3
Total Cattle Marketed	**258,520**	**272,310**	**-5.1**	**1,508,610**	**1,469,800**	**2.6**
Sheep and lambs	1,222	1,333	-8.3	6,861	5,296	29.6
Hogs Saskatchewan Origin of Slaughter	76,737	62,432	22.9	737,621	768,908	-4.1

SASKATCHEWAN AVERAGE PRICE OF SLAUGHTER AND FEEDER CATTLE

	October 2008	September 2008	August 2008	July 2008	June 2008	May 2008	October 2007	Oct 2008/ Oct 2007 Change (%)
				$ / 100 lbs				
Slaughter Cattle								
A Steers, Liveweight	92.04	91.80	94.64	93.83	88.08	88.13	75.15	22.5
A Heifers, Liveweight		90.10		95.83		87.40	77.50	
Cows D1, 2	40.62	43.69	49.75	52.90	45.50	44.50	29.50	37.7
Feeder Cattle								
Steers 700-800 lbs	95.29	100.93	102.47	101.93	99.17	95.16	93.48	1.9
Steers 600-700 lbs	98.48	103.69	107.16	104.32	103.07	100.72	96.27	2.3
Steers 500-600 lbs	102.13	107.38	109.34	106.21	104.13	104.63	102.90	-0.7

SASKATCHEWAN FARMERS' MARKETING OF GRAIN AT PRIMARY ELEVATORS

	Wheat	Durum Wheat	Oats	Barley	Peas	Flax seed	Canola	Total
				('000s) of tonnes				
Period November 24, 2008 to December 21, 2008	564.0	316.0	55.5	163.3	40.6	28.3	195.5	1,363.2
Same period last year	556.8	282.7	132.8	256.6	132.4	30.6	295.9	1,687.8
Crop year to date	2,247.9	1,203.1	445.3	826.7	566.0	182.6	1,173.9	6,645.4
Same period last year	1,969.7	1,143.2	673.5	1,168.9	871.1	217.8	1,204.1	7,248.3

RETAIL SALES BY TRADE GROUP

	October			January - October		
	2008	2007	Change	2008	2007	Change
	$ Millions		(%)	$ Millions		(%)
Saskatchewan						
Food and Beverage Stores	227.3	198.1	14.7	2,138.7	2,020.1	5.9
Pharmacies and Personal Care Stores	59.4	55.7	6.6	571.7	487.1	17.3
Shoe, Clothing Accessories and Jewellery	10.2	9.2	11.2	95.7	86.7	10.4
Clothing Stores	29.8	30.7	-2.7	286.4	285.2	0.4
Furniture stores	22.1	19.5	13.2	193.0	168.0	14.9
Home Electronics and Appliance Stores	37.1	31.7	17.1	321.4	270.2	18.9
Home Furnishings Stores	17.1	14.5	17.6	144.7	126.3	14.6
Computer and Software Stores	3.6	3.3	7.5	32.6	31.6	3.4
New Car Dealers	225.0	209.3	7.5	2,291.5	2,097.3	9.3
Used & Rec Vehicle and Parts Dealers	64.3	57.1	12.7	655.9	629.8	4.1
Gasoline Stations	198.4	163.2	21.6	1,962.0	1,559.9	25.8
General Merchandise Stores	203.9	174.6	16.8	1,856.5	1,597.9	16.2
Home Centres and Hardware Stores	86.6	80.4	7.7	799.7	683.9	16.9
Specialized Bldg Materials and Gardens	15.7	13.9	12.9	169.0	160.6	5.2
Sporting Goods, Hobby, Music and Book	21.3	18.0	18.4	181.6	157.8	15.1
Miscellaneous Store Retailers	21.5	21.8	-1.4	199.3	189.7	5.1
Total All Stores	1,243.1	1,100.9	12.9	11,899.5	10,552.2	12.8
Canada						
Total All Stores	36,001.2	34,037.6	5.8	353,327.9	337,022.9	4.8

BANKRUPTCY BY INDUSTRY

	3rd Quarter			January - September		
	2008	2007	Change (%)	2008	2007	Change (%)
Saskatchewan						
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting	10	22	-54.5	32	52	-38.5
Mining and oil and gas extraction	0	1	-	1	1	-
Utilities	0	0	-	0	0	-
Construction	8	9	-11.1	24	33	-27.3
Manufacturing	0	1	-	4	11	-63.6
Wholesale trade	1	1	-	2	2	-
Retail trade	2	3	-33.3	5	13	-61.5
Transportation and warehousing	3	5	-40.0	21	13	61.5
Information and cultural services	0	0	-	1	2	-50.0
Finance and insurance	0	0	-	1	0	---
Real estate and rental	0	0	-	0	2	-
Professional, scientific and technical	0	1	-	0	5	-
Management of companies and enterprises	0	0	-	2	1	100.0
Administrative and support, waste mgmt	2	0	---	4	4	-
Educational services	0	1	-	0	1	-
Health and social assistance	0	0	-	2	0	---
Arts, entertainment & recreation	2	1	100.0	7	3	---
Accommodation and food	2	6	-66.7	3	16	-81.3
Other service	1	2	-50.0	4	6	-33.3
Public administration	0	0	-	0	0	-
Total Industries	31	53	-41.5	113	165	-31.5
Bankruptcy by consumer	396	331	19.6	1,083	1,150	-5.8
Canada						
Bankruptcy by industry	1,414	1,437	-1.6	4,684	4,742	-1.2
Bankruptcy by consumer	22,776	19,504	16.8	22,776	19,504	16.8

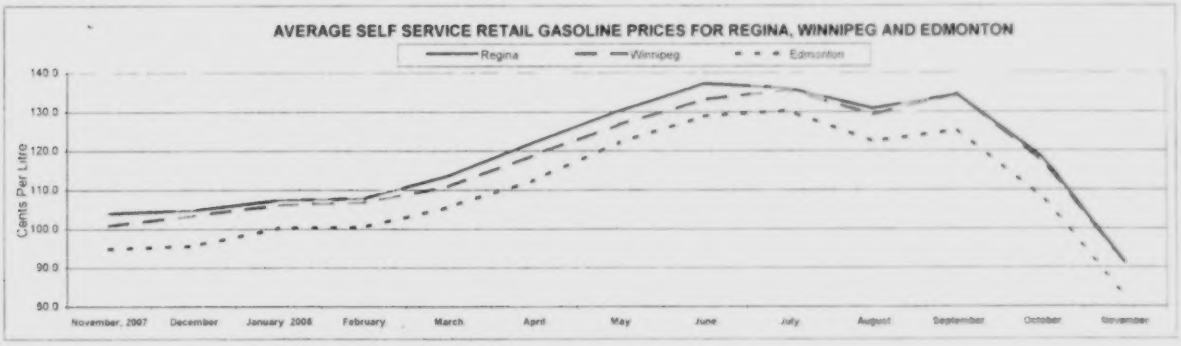
NEW MOTOR VEHICLE SALES

	October 2008 (Volume)	October 2007	Change (%)	January - October 2008 (Volume)	January - October 2007	Change (%)
Passenger Cars:						
Manufactured in North America	1,058	903	17.2	11,534	9,755	18.2
Manufactured in Japan	177	136	30.1	1,953	1,398	39.7
Manufactured in other countries	184	154	19.5	2,137	1,715	24.6
Commercial Vehicles:						
Manufactured in North America	2,389	2,209	8.1	24,274	22,994	5.6
Manufactured Overseas	246	218	12.8	2,369	2,101	12.8
Total	4,054	3,620	12.0	42,267	37,963	11.3

	October 2008 ($'000s)	October 2007	Change (%)	January - October 2008 ($'000s)	January - October 2007	Change (%)
Passenger Cars:						
Manufactured in North America	25,569	22,794	12.2	279,812	241,661	15.8
Manufactured in Japan	4,347	3,451	26.0	49,272	36,102	36.5
Manufactured in other countries	5,170	4,243	21.8	53,775	41,772	28.7
Commercial Vehicles:						
Manufactured in North America	89,116	84,623	5.3	936,879	912,893	2.6
Manufactured Overseas	8,804	8,264	6.5	84,943	76,828	10.6
Total	133,005	123,375	7.8	1,404,675	1,309,254	7.3

AVERAGE RETAIL PRICE OF REGULAR UNLEADED GASOLINE

	Full Service Stations November 2008	October 2008	November 2007	Self-Serve Stations November 2008	October 2008	November 2007
St. John's	103.7	130.0	113.6	98.7	125.0	111.0
Charlottetown - Summerside	91.2	113.8	105.0	87.6	112.0	102.8
Sydney	94.0	118.8	113.8	90.8	115.6	110.8
Halifax	93.1	118.7	111.9	89.9	115.1	108.5
Moncton	92.9	117.2	105.7	89.0	113.4	102.8
Chicoutimi	87.2	114.8	104.0	86.5	113.7	104.0
Quebec City	91.1	117.0	107.5	91.0	117.2	107.5
Trois Rivieres	91.9	119.3	106.5	91.7	118.1	106.5
Montreal	91.8	116.4	107.8	87.3	111.0	106.1
Ottawa	84.0	107.1	103.7	78.8	102.2	101.5
Toronto	83.9	107.1	101.4	82.7	105.9	99.9
London	85.5	107.7	102.4	82.1	106.3	100.5
Windsor	86.2	109.1	102.3	83.2	104.7	98.8
Sudbury	91.6	115.4	105.8	88.9	112.6	105.3
Thunder Bay	99.8	121.3	107.9	96.1	118.8	104.6
Winnipeg	93.6	118.5	100.7	91.4	116.9	100.9
Regina	92.4	118.7	104.4	91.3	118.3	104.0
Saskatoon	92.1	116.2	103.2	91.9	116.9	103.9
Edmonton	86.2	111.2	96.8	83.0	107.8	94.9
Calgary	86.5	110.8	99.7	86.0	110.3	98.1
Prince George	97.8	121.9	105.0	97.7	121.9	105.0
Vancouver	99.5	123.5	109.5	96.6	119.8	107.1
Victoria	99.7	125.0	106.2	98.9	123.1	104.5



NEW HOUSE PRICE INDEX (1997=100)

	Saskatchewan			Regina	Saskatoon
	Total	House Only	Land Only	Total	Total
November, 2007	207.9	217.3	178.9	204.4	213.9
December	209.2	218.2	180.8	204.4	216.1
January, 2008	214.3	224.6	181.5	204.4	225.9
February	226.2	238.0	189.2	218.7	235.7
March	230.6	243.2	191.8	222.5	240.7
April	238.4	251.0	199.1	238.3	241.6
May	240.5	252.4	203.1	241.3	242.9
June	237.2	246.3	209.0	242.3	236.0
July	240.4	249.6	211.3	248.5	236.4
August	236.5	244.3	211.3	248.5	229.0
September	233.9	240.0	213.4	248.5	224.2
October	232.1	237.5	213.8	248.7	220.7

HOUSING STATISTICS

	3rd Quarter			January - September		
	2008	2007	Change (%)	2008	2007	Change (%)
Saskatchewan						
Dwelling starts	2,175	2,026	7.4	5,552	4,629	19.9
Dwelling completions	1,987	1,080	84.0	4,248	2,647	60.5
Dwellings under construction	5,288	4,557	16.0			
Dwelling Starts						
Saskatchewan[1]	1,230	1,428	-13.9	3,813	3,655	4.3
Estevan	17	20	-15.0	48	39	23.1
Lloydminster[2]	46	132	-65.2	90	318	-71.7
Moose Jaw	71	21	---	119	63	88.9
North Battleford	48	24	---	96	50	92.0
Prince Albert	64	43	48.8	122	100	22.0
Regina Metro	406	426	-4.7	1,094	1,077	1.6
Saskatoon Metro	521	675	-22.8	2,095	1,880	11.4
Swift Current	27	50	-46.0	70	81	-13.6
Yorkton	30	37	-18.9	79	47	68.1
Dwelling Completions						
Saskatchewan[1]	1,301	831	56.6	3,110	2,090	48.8
Estevan	13	9	44.4	42	29	44.8
Lloydminster[2]	70	107	-34.6	153	210	-27.1
Moose Jaw	39	19	---	100	49	---
North Battleford	24	14	71.4	76	30	---
Prince Albert	47	58	-19.0	113	84	34.5
Regina Metro	373	202	84.7	839	629	33.4
Saskatoon Metro	691	391	76.7	1,655	1,000	65.5
Swift Current	11	17	-35.3	47	34	38.2
Yorkton	33	14	---	85	25	---
Dwellings under Construction						
Saskatchewan[1]	4,343	3,602	20.6			
Estevan	28	31	-9.7			
Lloydminster[2]	56	223	-74.9			
Moose Jaw	70	38	84.2			
North Battleford	74	35	---			
Prince Albert	65	45	44.4			
Regina Metro	1,422	1,151	23.5			
Saskatoon Metro	2,457	1,994	23.2			
Swift Current	131	55	---			
Yorkton	40	30	33.3			

	November			January - November		
	2008	2007	Change (%)	2008	2007	Change (%)
Dwelling Starts						
Regina Metro	142	147	-3.4	1,323	1,377	-3.9
Saskatoon Metro	82	160	-48.8	2,264	2,229	1.6
Dwelling Completions						
Regina Metro	76	163	-53.4	997	857	16.3
Saskatoon Metro	192	117	64.1	2,056	1,299	58.3
Dwellings under Construction						
Regina Metro	1,493	1,223	22.1			
Saskatoon Metro	2,225	2,043	8.9			

[1] Centres of 10,000 population and over

[2] Saskatchewan part only

VALUE OF BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED FOR CONSTRUCTION

	Residential	Industrial	Commercial	Institutional & Government	Total
	($ '000)			($ '000)	
November, 2008					
Saskatchewan[1]	54,482	33,529	43,316	2,660	133,987
Estevan	478	54	143	-	675
Weyburn	2,355	150	485	-	2,990
Regina	10,553	20,560	6,247	1,429	38,789
Moose Jaw	3,149	-	856	-	4,005
Swift Current	1,100	-	-	-	1,100
Saskatoon	4,313	6,826	16,935	23	28,097
Humboldt	634	-	-	-	634
Melville	10	-	-	-	10
Yorkton	283	1,997	151	-	2,431
Melfort	3,784	200	-	-	3,984
North Battleford	312	-	735	160	1,207
Prince Albert	7,783	200	16,129	630	24,742
Lloydminster[2]	3,009	385	1,735	-	5,129
November, 2007					
Saskatchewan[1]	54,531	17,055	28,865	3,852	104,303
Estevan	10	23	-	-	33
Weyburn	852	-	220	-	1,072
Regina	5,788	350	2,962	2,754	11,854
Moose Jaw	3,799	59	1,229	-	5,087
Swift Current	198	-	7,010	-	7,208
Saskatoon	17,291	1,061	15,928	667	34,947
Humboldt	498	-	20	-	518
Melville	8	-	-	-	8
Yorkton	1,442	-	699	10	2,151
Melfort	235	-	80	-	315
North Battleford	2,110	-	-	-	2,110
Prince Albert	1,151	250	-	-	1,401
Lloydminster[2]	643	92	9,631	-	10,366
January - November, 2008					
Saskatchewan[1]	1,062,350	292,193	430,446	291,563	2,076,552
Estevan	17,446	1,816	20,260	-	39,522
Weyburn	14,649	250	9,450	56	24,405
Regina	155,397	42,488	64,506	53,354	315,745
Moose Jaw	43,622	1,884	4,612	1,244	51,362
Swift Current	26,617	1,102	5,976	1,640	35,335
Saskatoon	209,776	34,658	167,818	176,265	588,517
Humboldt	10,720	313	1,247	33,200	45,480
Melville	5,691	400	882	-	6,973
Yorkton	16,358	22,073	18,951	7,778	65,160
Melfort	11,498	365	10,740	48	22,651
North Battleford	13,360	1,818	7,679	383	23,240
Prince Albert	33,709	1,189	41,569	4,223	80,690
Lloydminster[2]	51,631	2,756	19,419	2,193	75,999
January - November, 2007					
Saskatchewan[1]	801,706	92,444	455,328	114,492	1,463,970
Estevan	9,582	1,518	4,064	3,472	18,636
Weyburn	21,731	-	5,735	860	28,326
Regina	131,130	7,262	144,289	27,172	309,853
Moose Jaw	24,135	1,851	4,580	3,427	33,993
Swift Current	28,925	361	42,706	13	72,005
Saskatoon	202,716	21,349	158,462	42,784	425,311
Humboldt	10,008	53	754	745	11,560
Melville	2,027	208	30	-	2,265
Yorkton	14,776	-	25,291	4,707	44,774
Melfort	4,641	207	157	300	5,305
North Battleford	13,334	2,307	11,885	444	27,970
Prince Albert	18,702	1,237	7,642	1,321	28,902
Lloydminster[2]	69,090	5,755	33,090	3,040	110,975

[1] Does not include Lloydminster

[2] Includes both Alberta and Saskatchewan parts

VALUE OF SHIPMENTS OF GOODS MANUFACTURED

	October			January - October		
	2008	2007	Change	2008	2007	Change
	($'000s)		(%)	($'000s)		(%)
Industry Group:						
Food	226,582	209,872	8.0	2,238,448	2,023,549	10.6
Clothing	2,641	2,855	-7.5	19,610	21,250	-7.7
Leather & Allied Product	212	267	-20.6	2,361	2,547	-7.3
Paper	15,231	15,465	-1.5	150,374	128,498	17.0
Printing & Related Support Actiyites	13,727	12,869	6.7	108,984	122,356	-10.9
Chemicals	60,187	84,881	-29.1	1,274,415	985,593	29.3
Plastics & Rubber Products	16,307	12,454	30.9	115,329	112,955	2.1
Wood products	18,807	22,592	-16.8	198,336	254,770	-22.2
Fabricated metal products	81,555	63,465	28.5	681,943	589,408	15.7
Machinery	124,839	100,145	24.7	1,019,152	854,387	19.3
Electrical Equip. Appliances & Components	21,631	21,538	0.4	216,826	229,655	-5.6
Furniture & Related Product	8,844	8,899	-0.6	87,571	77,114	13.6
Miscellaneous	7,634	9,701	-21.3	72,515	83,356	-13.0
N.E.S.	431,367	322,574	33.7	4,367,444	3,275,276	33.3
Total Value[1]	1,029,564	887,577	16.0	10,553,308	8,760,714	20.5

[1] Total includes the value of shipments for the industries for which individual data must be suppressed to comply with the Statistics Act.

EXPORTS ORIGINATING IN SASKATCHEWAN

	October			January - October		
	2008	2007	Change	2008	2007	Change
	($'000s)		(%)	($'000s)		(%)
Agriculture and Fishing Products	940,700	620,100	51.7	7,498,400	4,767,800	57.3
Energy Products	1,220,600	605,000	---	11,794,300	6,013,100	96.1
Forestry Products	16,500	24,800	-33.5	219,000	290,300	-24.6
Industrial Goods	973,400	366,800	---	6,693,600	4,048,400	65.3
Machinery and Equipment	78,200	53,500	46.2	720,200	585,800	22.9
Automotive Products	4,000	5,800	-31.0	35,100	50,200	-30.1
Consumer Goods	1,600	2,700	-40.7	19,600	22,400	-12.5
Special Transactions	13,500	9,700	39.2	107,400	99,900	7.5
Total Exports	3,248,500	1,688,300	92.4	27,087,300	15,877,700	70.6

IMPORTS CLEARED IN SASKATCHEWAN

	October			January - October		
	2008	2007	Change	2008	2007	Change
	($'000s)		(%)	($'000s)		(%)
Agriculture and Fishing Products	29,100	22,600	28.8	292,800	201,000	45.7
Energy Products	82,800	19,600	---	429,800	180,500	---
Forestry Products	2,300	1,400	64.3	24,900	20,200	23.3
Industrial Goods	271,000	148,000	83.1	2,250,000	1,571,800	43.1
Machinery and Equipment	368,900	290,100	27.2	3,280,100	2,662,200	23.2
Automotive Products	92,800	103,200	-10.1	1,097,200	963,200	13.9
Consumer Goods	32,900	22,300	47.5	251,300	225,400	11.5
Special Transactions	500	2,900	-82.8	17,600	21,200	-17.0
Total Imports	880,400	610,100	44.3	7,644,200	5,845,600	30.8

RESTAURANT, CATERER AND TAVERN RECEIPTS

	October			January - October		
	2008	2007	Change	2008	2007	Change
	($ ' 000)		(%)	($ ' 000)		(%)
Full Service Restaurants	50,053	47,076	6.3	478,745	443,808	7.9
Limited Service Restaurants	50,024	46,568	7.4	464,131	419,563	10.6
Caterers	6,317	5,093	24.0	51,696	42,874	20.6
Taverns	6,844	5,659	20.9	65,010	60,441	7.6
Total	113,238	104,396	8.5	1,059,582	966,686	9.6

MINERAL PRODUCTION

	Units of Measure	September 2008	September 2007	Change (%)	January - September 2008	January - September 2007	Change (%)
Saskatchewan							
Crude Oil	' 000 m3	2,106	2,073	1.6	18,858	18,423	2.4
Natural Gas	' 000, 000 m3	674	718	-6.0	6,245	6,669	-6.4

		November 2008	November 2007	Change (%)	January - November 2008	January - November 2007	Change (%)
Salt	' 000 Tonnes	173	153	13.4	1,1[illegible]	1,026	13.3
Potash K2O	' 000 Tonnes	803	883	-9.1	8,577	9,436	-9.1
Other*	' 000,000 Kgs	851	834	2.1	9,108	9,646	-5.6

* Includes Potassium Sulphate, Ammonium Sulphate, Bentonite, Coal and Uranium
Gold and Base metal will be included quarterly

TOTAL SALES OF SELECTED PETROLEUM PRODUCTS

	September 2008	September 2007	Change (%)	January - September 2008	January - September 2007	Change (%)
	Cubic Metres			Cubic Metres		
Saskatchewan						
Propane & propane mixes	6,706	7,205	-6.9	59,474	54,985	8.2
Butane & butane mixes	21,449	2,406	---	133,787	42,255	---
Aviation gasoline	376	286	31.5	4,276	4,255	0.5
Motor gasoline	187,989	171,234	9.8	1,690,625	1,559,995	8.4
Premium	6,010	4,801	25.2	53,852	41,975	28.3
Mid grade	318	347	-8.4	2,464	2,713	-9.2
Regular no-lead	181,661	166,086	9.4	1,634,265	1,515,249	7.9
Aviation turbo fuel	7,857	5,581	40.8	67,819	61,760	9.8
Kerosene stove oil	150	791	-81.0	6,325	10,217	-38.1
Diesel fuel	263,670	213,875	23.3	1,631,968	1,624,445	0.5
Light fuel	371	167	---	8,641	6,805	27.0
Heavy fuel	21,125	15,581	35.6	146,440	105,084	39.4
Asphalt	25,047	22,328	12.2	133,419	102,625	30.0
Lube oils & grease	5,793	4,921	17.7	51,544	49,209	4.7
Total net sales, all products	544,965	449,275	21.3	3,977,615	3,658,329	8.7

SASKPOWER ELECTRIC ENERGY STATISTICS

	3rd Quarter 2008	3rd Quarter 2007	Change (%)	January - September 2008	January - September 2007	Change (%)
Saskatchewan	GWh			GWh		
Supply						
Coal Generated	2,855	3,013	-5.2	8,543	8,673	-1.5
Natural Gas Generated	161	194	-17.1	864	684	26.3
Purchased Power	608	608	0.0	2,108	1,879	12.2
Imports	90	134	-32.7	375	206	81.9
Hydroelectric	1,068	1,024	4.3	3,182	3,558	-10.6
Wind	127	130	-2.2	421	452	-7.0
Interdepartmental Usage	-29	-26	10.5	-87	-82	---
Line Losses	-318	-364	-12.7	-1,526	-1,231	---
Total Supply	4,563	4,713	-3.2	13,880	14,139	-1.8
Disposition						
Residential	612	627	-2.4	1,975	1,914	3.2
Commercial	2,499	2,514	-0.6	7,576	7,586	-0.1
Oilfields	661	652	1.5	2,047	1,947	5.1
Farm	321	332	-3.5	965	980	-1.5
Reseller	319	330	-3.2	949	963	-1.5
Exports	150	259	-41.9	369	750	-50.8
Total Disposition	4,563	4,713	-3.2	13,880	14,139	-1.8

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX
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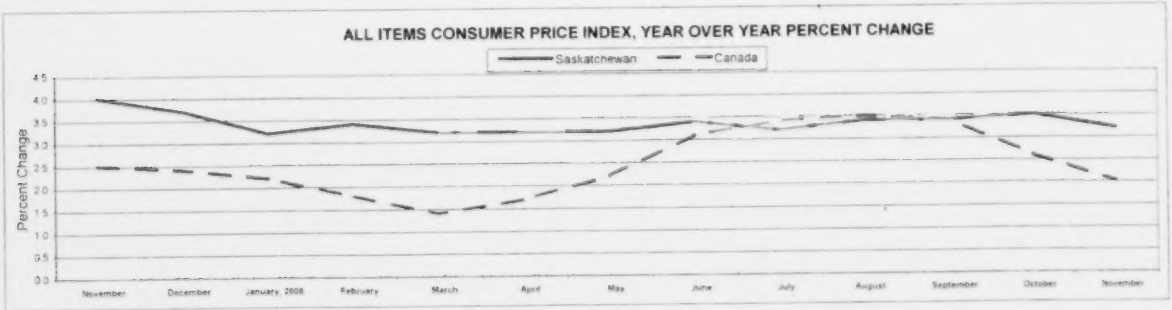
	All-items	Food	Shelter	Household Operations & Furnishings	Clothing & Footwear	Trans-portation	Health & Personal Care	Recreation Education & Reading	Tobacco & Alcohol
Saskatchewan									
November, 2007	113.1	111.0	128.1	101.1	96.4	113.6	106.2	103.6	127.3
December	112.9	110.6	128.6	100.8	93.1	114.0	106.0	102.9	127.4
January, 2008	113.0	111.0	129.4	100.4	94.7	114.1	105.0	101.4	128.5
February	113.6	111.4	130.5	101.6	97.4	113.1	105.0	102.1	129.3
March	114.5	111.8	132.4	101.7	97.5	114.3	105.6	102.8	130.3
April	115.4	112.7	133.3	102.3	96.1	116.6	105.8	103.2	130.2
May	116.2	112.8	134.4	102.1	95.0	119.1	106.0	104.1	130.5
June	117.0	115.0	135.0	101.6	93.9	121.5	105.7	104.5	128.8
July	116.9	115.9	135.2	101.4	95.5	120.1	105.1	104.4	128.5
August	117.0	117.1	135.8	101.5	94.0	118.4	106.6	104.4	129.1
September	117.3	116.6	135.8	102.4	96.7	118.5	107.1	104.7	129.3
October	116.9	118.0	139.2	101.7	94.8	113.3	106.2	104.0	129.4
November	116.7	120.3	139.6	101.9	93.5	109.7	108.4	103.5	129.8
% change November, 2008 over October, 2008	-0.2	1.9	0.3	0.2	-1.4	-3.2	2.1	-0.5	0.3
% change November, 2008 over November, 2007	3.2	8.4	9.0	0.8	-3.0	-3.4	2.1	-0.1	2.0
Canada									
November, 2007	111.9	111.3	118.8	103.3	96.4	116.7	108.0	102.0	126.5
December	112.0	111.7	119.2	103.5	93.7	117.5	107.7	101.2	126.2
January, 2008	111.8	112.4	119.2	103.3	92.2	117.6	107.5	99.5	126.4
February	112.2	112.8	119.6	104.1	94.1	117.0	107.7	100.8	126.8
March	112.6	112.6	120.1	104.1	96.0	117.8	107.9	101.3	126.6
April	113.5	113.5	121.2	104.4	94.3	120.1	108.3	101.6	126.7
May	114.6	114.6	121.6	104.3	93.0	123.6	108.6	102.9	127.4
June	115.4	115.8	122.3	104.3	92.5	125.8	108.7	102.9	127.7
July	115.8	116.5	123.3	104.4	93.3	125.7	108.5	103.2	127.6
August	115.6	116.8	123.8	104.4	93.7	123.1	109.3	103.5	127.5
September	115.7	117.1	123.1	105.6	96.1	122.4	109.4	103.9	128.0
October	114.5	117.4	123.2	105.2	94.4	117.0	109.2	103.0	128.0
November	114.1	119.5	123.4	105.5	94.1	113.2	110.1	101.9	128.5
% change November, 2008 over October, 2008	-0.3	1.8	0.2	0.3	-0.3	-3.2	0.8	-1.1	0.4
% change November, 2008 over November, 2007	2.0	7.4	3.9	2.1	-2.4	-3.0	1.9	-0.1	1.6

Regina	**All-items**	**Shelter**
October	116.6	136.2
November	116.4	137.0
% change November, 2008 over October, 2008	-0.2	0.6
% change November, 2008 over November, 2007	3.6	10.5

Saskatoon	**All-items**	**Shelter**
October	118.0	141.3
November	117.8	141.5
% change November, 2008 over October, 2008	-0.2	0.1
% change November, 2008 over November, 2007	3.1	8.0



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